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ABSTRACT

This document consists of two charts indicating the average educational levels and the average yearly family incomes of the populations served by the colleges and junior colleges in 12 areas of Mississippi. Information presented includes a listing of colleges and counties in each area, area population, average educational level, and average annual family income. These data show that the area served by the Mississippi Gulf Coast Junior College District enjoys both the highest average educational level (11.2) and the highest average annual family income ($7,230). Mississippi Delta Junior College serves the area with the lowest educational level (8.8) and the lowest average annual family income ($4,372). (DC)

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1. PROBLEM. A "Report of Cultural Programs and Organizations," published by the Mississippi Arts Commission in 1975, divides the State into 13 Districts as shown on the two attachments. Information on each District includes a listing of colleges, counties, population, average educational level, and average family income. These data showed that the Mississippi Gulf Coast Junior College District enjoys both the highest educational level and the highest average family income.

2. DISCUSSION. This report provides the above data by District (Attachment I).

3. Attachment II arrays Districts by average educational level. South Mississippi enjoys the highest educational levels (MGCJC - 11.2 and Pearl River Junior College - 11.1). Other Districts range from 10.6 years (East Mississippi Junior College) to 8.8 (Mississippi Delta Junior College).

4. It is noted that Mississippi Gulf Coast Junior College District enjoys an average family income of $7230, with Hinds Junior College being second - $6965. Lowest average family income is found in the Mississippi Delta Junior College District with an average income of $4372.

5. Appreciation is noted to Dr. Hayden for identifying that such a comparison was available and to Mrs. brown for compiling the attachments.

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Attachment I

JUNIOR COLLEGES BY DISTRICTS

District	Colleges	Counties	Population	Average Educational Level	Average Yearly Family Income
1	Copiah-Lincoln Junior College Natchez Junior College	Adams Copiah Franklin Jefferson Lawrence Lincoln Simpson	136,597	10.1	$5138.00
2	East Central Junior College Clarke Memorial College	Leake Neshoba Scott Winston Newton	96,645	10.2	$5014.00
3	East Mississippi Junior College Mississippi State University MS State College for Women Meridian Junior College Mary Holmes Junior College	Clay Kemper Lauderdale Lowndes Noxubee Oktibbeha	188,900	10.6	$5470.00
4	Hinds Junior College Alcorn Agr. & Mechanical Colg. Utica Junior College Jackson State Mississippi College Millsaps College Belhaven College Tougaloo College Westminster College Piney Woods School	Claiborne Warren Hinds Rankin	313,973	10.1	$6965.00
5	Holmes Junior College Wood Junior College	Attala Grenada Montgomery Carroll Holmes Webster Choctaw Madison Yazoo	160,387	9.6	$4759.00
6	Itwamba Junior College	Chickasaw Monroe Itawamba Pontotoc Lee	131,206	9.9	$5931.00

District	Colleges	Counties	Population	Avg. Ed. Level	Avg. Yearly Income
7	Jones County Junior College	Clarke Jasper Smith Covington Jones Wayne Green Perry	149,223	10.2	$5386.00
8	MS Delta Junior College MS Valley State College Delta State College	Bolivar Issaquena Sunflower Coahoma Leflore Washington Humphreys Sharkey	265,940	8.8	$4372.00
9	Northeast MS Junior College Blue Mountain College	Alcorn Tishomingo Prentiss Union Tippah	97,200	9.8	$5727.00
10	University of Mississippi Rust College Mississippi Industrial College Northwest Junior College	Benton Calhoun DeSoto Lafayette Marshall Panola Quitman Tate Tallahatchie Tunica Yalobusha	210,639	9.2	$4767.00
11	University of Southern MS William Carey College Pearl River Junior College Prentiss Normal & Ind. Inst.	Forrest Lamar Hancock Marion Jeff Davis Pearl River	154,054	11.1	$5816.00
12	Gulf Coast Junior College (Perkinston Campus at Perkinston, Jeff Davis Campus at Handsboro, Jackson County Campus at Gautier)	George Stone Harrison Jackson	246,117	11.2	$7230.00
13	Southwest Junior College	Amite Wilkinson Pike Walthall	69,118	9.5	$4549.00

Attachment II

JUNIOR COLLEGES BY

EDUCATIONAL LEVELS

District	Junior College	Average Educational Level	Average Family Income
12	Gulf Coast Junior College (Perkinston Campus at Perkinston, Jeff Davis Campus at Handsboro, Jackson County Campus at Gautier)	11.2	$7230.00
11	Pearl River Junior College Prentiss Normal & Ind. Inst.	11.1	$5816.00
3	East Mississippi Junior College Meridian Junior College Mary Holmes Junior College	10.6	$5470.00
2	East Central Junior College	10.2	$5014.00
7	Jones County Junior College	10.2	$5386.00
4	Hinds Junior College Utica Junior College Piney Woods School	10.1	$6965.00
1	Copiah-Lincoln Junior College Natchez Junior College	10.1	$5138.00
6	Itwamba Junior College	9.9	$4759.00
9	Northeast Ms Junior College	9.8	$5727.00
5	Holmes Junior College Wood Junior College	9.6	$4759.00
13	Southwest Junior College	9.5	$4549.00
10	Northwest Junior College Mississippi Industrial College	9.2	$4767.00
8	Mississippi Delta Junior College	8.8	$4372.00

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